

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (**Currently Amended**) A case for containing an electrical instrument, comprising:

a frame having ~~a peripheral wall portion~~portions;

a cover member having ~~a peripheral wall portion~~
portions and configured to cover the fitted on the peripheral
wall portion of said frame and configured to form a space for
containing the electrical instrument between the frame and the
cover member, the peripheral wall portions of the cover member
being configured to engage with the peripheral wall portions
of the frame;

at least one hole ~~provided in~~passing through one of
the peripheral wall portions of the frame and the cover member
~~to fix the frame and the cover member; and~~

~~a~~ at least one protrusion provided on the other of
~~the peripheral wall portions of the frame and the cover member~~
~~for being inserted in said hole, wherein the protrusion~~
~~has~~each having a smoothly inclined surface, ~~to guide the~~
~~protrusion into the hole~~ the at least one protrusion being
provided on the other of the peripheral wall portions of the
frame and the cover member, and

wherein when the cover member is fitted on the frame, an opening edge of the hole hurdles the smoothly inclined surface so that the protrusion is inserted ~~in~~ into the hole smoothly to fix the frame and the cover member to the frame.

2. (Original) The case according to claim 1, wherein said electrical instrument has a vibrating plate fixed to the frame and a magnetic circuit attached on the frame to vibrate the vibrating plate.

3. (**Currently Amended**) The case according to claim 1, wherein a plurality of protrusions are provided on ~~at least~~ one of the frame and the cover member, and a plurality of holes in which the protrusions are inserted are provided in the other of the frame and the cover member, said protrusions and holes each being arranged to be spaced peripherally of the frame and cover member on peripheral wall portions of the frame and the cover member and to face each other.

4. (Canceled)

5. (Canceled)

6. (**Currently Amended**) A micro-speaker comprising:
a frame;

a sound generator attached to the frame and including a vibrating plate to which a voice coil is fixed, a yoke, a magnet fixed to the yoke, and a top plate fixed to the magnet;

a cover member ~~attached~~ configured to cover the frame ~~for protecting the vibrating plate;~~

a plurality of protrusions provided on a peripheral wall portion of the frame and each having a smoothly inclined surface; and

a plurality of holes ~~provided in~~ passing through a peripheral wall of the cover member and provided for inserting receiving the protrusions being inserted therein;

~~wherein the protrusions have smoothly inclined surfaces to guide the protrusions into the holes so that the protrusions are inserted in the holes smoothly, and~~

wherein when the said cover member is fixed fitted on ~~said~~ the frame, an opening edge of each of the holes hurdles by the smoothly inclined ~~surfaces guiding~~ surface of each of the protrusions so that the protrusions are inserted into the holes ~~and inserting said protrusions in said holes to~~ fix the cover member to the frame.

7. **(Currently Amended)** A case for containing an electrical instrument, comprising:

a frame having a peripheral wall ~~portion~~ portions;

a cover member having ~~a peripheral wall portion~~
portions configured to engage with ~~fitted on the~~ peripheral
wall portion of ~~said~~ the frame, and configured to cover the
frame and to form a space for containing the electrical
instrument between the frame and the cover member;

~~at least one hole provided in one of the peripheral~~
~~wall portions of the frame and the cover member;~~

~~a~~ at least one protrusion having a smoothly inclined
surface provided on the other of the peripheral wall portions
of the frame ~~and the cover member for inserting in said hole;~~
and

at least one concave portion adjacent to the
protrusion provided ~~formed in the~~ peripheral wall portion of
the frame; and

at least one hole passing through the peripheral
wall portion of the cover member,

wherein when the cover member is fitted on the
frame, an opening edge of the protrusion provided on one of
the frame and the cover member is inserted in the hole hurdles
the smoothly inclined surface so that the protrusion is
inserted into the hole, and then ~~provided in the other of the~~
~~frame and the cover member to fix the frame and the cover~~
~~member; and~~

~~_____ wherein a portion of the peripheral wall~~
~~portion of the cover member further has at least one deformed~~
~~portion, and the deformed portion is inserted in the~~
~~corresponding concave portion formed in the frame so that the~~
~~frame and the cover member are locked~~ is formed by pressing
the cover member from outside into the concave portion of the
frame.

8. (Previously Presented) The case according to claim 7, wherein said electrical instrument has a vibrating plate fixed to the frame and a magnetic circuit attached on the frame to vibrate the vibrating plate.

9. (**Currently Amended**) The case according to claim 7, wherein a plurality of protrusions are provided on ~~at least one of the peripheral wall portion of the frame,~~ and

~~the cover member, and a plurality of holes in which~~
configured for receiving the protrusions—~~are inserted therein~~
~~are provided in the other of the frame and~~ peripheral wall
portion of the cover member,

~~_____ said the protrusions and the holes each being~~
arranged to be spaced peripherally of the frame and cover
~~member on peripheral wall portions of the frame and cover~~
~~member~~ and to face each other.

10. (**Currently Amended**) A micro-speaker comprising:

- a frame;
- a sound generator attached to the frame and including a vibrating plate to which a voice coil is fixed, a yoke, a magnet fixed to the yoke, and a top plate fixed to the magnet;
- a cover member ~~attached~~ configured to cover the frame for protecting the vibrating plate;
- a plurality of protrusions provided on a peripheral wall portion of the frame and each having a smoothly inclined surface;
- a plurality of holes passing through the peripheral wall portion of the cover member and provided in a peripheral wall of the cover member for receiving inserting the protrusions inserted therein; and
- at least one concave portion formed in the peripheral wall portion of the frame adjacent to one of the protrusions,

wherein when the protrusions are ~~correspondingly inserted in the holes and the cover member is fixed to~~ fitted on the frame, and opening edge of each of the holes hurdles the smoothly inclined surface so that each of

the protrusions is inserted into the hole to fix the cover member to the frame, and then

~~_____ wherein a portion of the peripheral wall portion of the cover member further has at least one deformed portion and the deformed portion is~~ formed by pressing the cover member from outside into ~~inserted in the concave portion formed in~~ of the frame so that the frame and the cover member are locked.